

Local Happenings

"All Right!"

Join the Farm Bureau. Many attended the fair each day. New Sorghum at Farmington Merc. Co.

John Buford spent Sunday in Lutesville with old home folks.

Great crowds were in Farmington last Friday and Saturday.

Stoves and Stove Boards at Farmington Hdw. Co.

Save money by supporting the Farm Bureau.

Did you ever experience more delightful weather? Impossible!

Miss Allie Patton spent the week-end with her mother in Ironton.

B. H. Marbury left Sunday for Chicago to look after legal matters.

Coal Hods and Shovels at Farmington Hdw. Co.

Jerry B. Burks is attending circuit court at Ste. Genevieve this week.

Herschell Burgess left Tuesday for St. Louis on a few days business trip.

The Farm Bureau is what you help to make it.

Miss Beulah Wampler, of Flat River, was a Farmington visitor Saturday.

Plunkett Mops, the mop with fingers, at Farmington Hdw. Co.

John Conrad, of Custer, Okla., is here visiting his son, David Conrad, and family.

Miss Lena Karsch, of St. Louis, spent the week-end with relatives and friends here.

W. A. Brookshire is having a barn built on his residence property in the eastern part of town.

John Neider returned from St. Louis Wednesday, where he had spent several days on business.

Farmers, we will pay you either in trade or cash for your produce. Farmington Merc. Co.

The Farm Bureau is the farmers' greatest hope.

O. J. Ferguson, of the Fredericktown Democrat-News, was here Saturday taking in the sights.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Limmer and Albert Fisher, of St. Louis, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Limmer.

Perry McCormick, of Plattin, spent Friday and Saturday here attending the fair and meeting many friends.

Now is the time to plant nursery stock. For good trees and low prices, see Wallace Nurseries, Farmington, Mo.

Work for the Farm Bureau: it works for you.

Jess Hawkins, circuit clerk of Iron county, was one of the thousands who attended the fair Friday and Saturday.

Sargents 100 per cent pure Paint, the paint you ought to buy, at Farmington Hdw. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mounce, of Fredericktown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Delaney the last of the week.

Senator Chas. Belken, of Fredericktown, was here Wednesday afternoon on business and met with many friends.

Help yourself by supporting the Farm Bureau.

Miss Alma Sheets returned home Sunday, after spending the week-end with her sister, Miss Leta Sheets, in St. Louis.

Mrs. S. M. McAttee, who has been visiting her parents in Cape Girardeau for some time, returned home Wednesday.

Special price of \$2.60 per bushel on choice high-grade Timothy seed. Farmington Mercantile Co.

See Mary Miles Minter in "The Little Clown", under the auspices of Parent-Teacher Association, Nov. 9, 10c and 20c.

What is the Farm Bureau? What you help to make it.

Mrs. Mattie Aubuchon has sold her store and ten acres of land at French Village, to her son, and has moved to Route 1, Bonne Terre.

An attractive bungalow is nearing completion in the Doss addition for William Hogenmiller, into which he will move when finished.

A fine shower Tuesday night was sufficient to lay the dust and put the finishing touch on the perfection of the present ideal weather.

We have orders for eggs and poultry for which we will pay highest market price—trade or cash. Farmington Merc. Co.

Join the Farm Bureau. Be a Farmer in the Farmers' Organization.

Dr. P. E. Walsh, formerly of this place, but now of Fredericktown, attended the fair Friday and Saturday and met with many old friends.

F. D. Ake, of the Ironton Register, and County Clerk Hughes, of Iron county, attended the county exhibit and home-coming here last Friday.

Don't fail to see Mary Miles Minter in "The Little Clown", Nov. 9, Benefit of Parent-Teacher Association. 10c and 20c.

The I. O. O. F. and Rebecca lodges of this city had a juvenile meeting last night, which was greatly enjoyed by the multitude of youthful guests of the members.

Boost the Farm Bureau and make St. Francois county a better county.

Every farmer convert a slacker to St. Francois County Farm Bureau.

Eugene Karsch, who holds a responsible position in the Night and Day Bank in St. Louis, spent the week-end with old home folks in Farmington.

Read the notice of an auction sale of fine hogs, to be held at Jackson, Mo., on Saturday, Oct. 29th, by W. F. Schade, in another column of The Times. This stock is all of the choicest breeding, and will be a rare opportunity for fine breeders to strengthen their herds.

"Scrambled Wives", in which Marguerite Clark stars, proved to be a real laugh producing comedy, and drew a good house at the Monarch Tuesday night.

Monda Murphy, a former citizen of Farmington, but who now lives in Colorado Springs, Colo., is here visiting relatives and meeting with many old time friends.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Delaney visited in Fredericktown last week and were accompanied home by Mrs. Delaney's Mother, Mrs. Ellen Mounce, who is in her eightieth year.

E. M. Laakman returned Sunday from a visit to his old home in Vincennes, Ind. Mrs. Laakman joined him in St. Louis for a few days and they returned home together.

The Farm Bureau is the largest Farmers' Organization in existence.

Splendid fall weather, the finest of the entire year, continues to bring exhilarating pleasure to everyone. The longer such weather continues the more prolonged will be the pleasure of everyone.

The DeLassus base ball club closed the season last Sunday, Oct. 23rd, the final game being with Elvins, securing another victory by a score of 12 to 6. Their record for the season was ten games of which they won 7 and lost 3.

Many roads throughout St. Francois county are being treated to a coating of gravel or crushed rock, which will insure better travel during the winter months, when the splendid results of such preparation will be keenly appreciated.

You've struck it right when you join the St. Francois County Farm Bureau.

The farmers are unusually busy, and have been during the continuance of the present splendid weather, which is ideal for wheat sowing. A big crop of this staple has been sown in this community, under most promising conditions. The ground was in excellent condition for the sowing.

Judge J. S. Gosson, of Caruthersville, and brother, Sam Gosson, who is now in the banking business in St. Louis, were Farmington visitors at the home-coming Saturday, meeting with old-time friends. They were both former citizens of this place, and were warmly greeted by many of the "old boys."

Don O. Cameron, editor of the Lead Belt News, brought his wife over Tuesday for treatment, which she is taking from Dr. Geo. W. Watkins.

Mrs. Cameron has been suffering periodically for some time from a trouble it has been difficult to diagnose, but her present treatment seems to be helping her.

Ira D. Mullinax, special writer on the Twice-a-Week Globe Democrat, attended the fair here Friday and Saturday for the purpose of writing up the event for that publication.

Mullinax told a Times reporter it was by far the best county exhibit he had seen this season. Mrs. Mullinax came in Saturday evening and accompanied her husband home by the taxicab route.

Col. and Mrs. S. S. Taylor, of Sparla, Ill., were Farmington visitors Friday and Saturday. Col. Taylor came to conduct an auction of blooded stock which was put up for sale on that occasion. His Physiognomy was familiar to many, as he has been here frequently in the past conducting fine stock sales, and he appeared like real "home folks."

Information has just reached Farmington that Delos Cole Johns, a student in the State University at Columbia, has been designated as one of the junior five by the Phi Beta Kappa society of the College of Arts and Sciences. The junior five are the five juniors in the College of Arts and Sciences who have received the highest grades at the end of their junior year and are in line for election to Phi Beta Kappa as soon as they finish their requirements for a degree.

What's wrong with you? Get right, Mr. Slacker, join the St. Francois County Farm Bureau.

Geo. K. Williams, member of the Farmington school board, will take the other members of the board to Perryville to-day, where they will witness a return game of foot ball between the Perryville team and the Farmington high school eleven. This is another illustration of what a winning foot ball team will do—injection of pep and enthusiasm to cause them to travel eighty miles or more by auto to witness a kicking match.

Mr. R. E. Holtzwarth, the photographer, is going to locate permanently in Farmington and open a Photo Studio in the Fischer Merc. Co. building, upstairs, where he will make fine portrait photos and also do any other work in the picture line, such as copying, enlarging and film developing and finishing for amateurs. His 30 years experience in this line will guarantee satisfactory work. The public are invited to step in and see his work. Baby and children's pictures a specialty.

DOES THIS MEAN ANOTHER BANK?

It has been reported to The Times

CRONBAUGH & CRONBAUGH

OPTOMETRISTS

Eye-Sight Specialists

Office in Tucker Building

Opposite Post Office

Hours 9 to 5

FLAT RIVER, MO.

Thoroughly modern equipped examination room. We grind our own lenses. ANY broken lens duplicated same day received.

THE HOME MEAT MARKET

Is now splendidly equipped with refrigerating service and most expert meat handlers and cutters, so that customers are always guaranteed satisfaction when trading with us. We have cut out the last cent of surplus profit, as our prices will indicate.

Choicest meats for 20 cents a pound.

Home Meat Market, South Side Square, Farmington.

that several former large stockholders in the Miners & Merchants Bank at Flat River have disposed of their holdings in that institution, and that there is likelihood of another bank being established at that place.

While we know of no way of verifying such report, there certainly does not appear to be anything unreasonable about it. It would seem that the wealth of that community would justify such establishment.

PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES

Pupils' reports for the first six-week period of school have been sent to parents for their examination. The report is a conscientious effort on the part of the teacher to inform the parent of the work done by the pupil during the period.

In the High School it is invariably expected that every pupil spend from one and one-half hours to two and one-half hours per day in home study. If any pupil reports to his parents that such study is not necessary, he is deliberately misleading his parents.

Home study is expected and demanded. Parents should not only make it convenient for their children in the High School and upper grades to study at home, but should require it consistently done. Many a pupil is doing his work in a careless, half-hearted way, with inferior results; when if he were required to apply himself regularly at home study could and would become proficient in his school work.

If parents find the grades of their children below standard it would be well to inquire into the amount of home study they are doing each school day and the conditions under which that work is done. Consultation with the teacher will often reveal conditions that both teacher and parents may correct. The education of a child is essentially a duplex process. It requires effort and directed energy at school, and none the less at home. A lot of well meaning parents have not grasped this truth, and expect for the school to work a complete transformation of their children. Such parents are more than likely to be sorely disappointed.

Dr. E. R. Fulkerson, of Chicago, Field Secretary of the Board of Benevolence of the M. E. Church, delivered a very illuminating and thought-provoking address to the High School on Tuesday morning. He discussed "Problems of the East", giving particular attention to the economic and educational phases of that problem.

Dr. Fulkerson has spent twenty years in the Orient, part of which time he served as United States Consul.

The School Management this week closed a contract with the Keystone View Company for a fine series of Educational Stereographs and Slides, including Stereoscopes and Lantern.

This series of educational views will provide an abundance of material for visual education from the primary grades through the high school. The teachers, with the co-operation of the parents working through the Parent-Teacher Association, plan to finance this improvement. A series of entertainments and special programs will be given from time to time throughout the year for that purpose, and the public will be given an opportunity to help in this important enterprise.

Free Public Reading Room

The Christian Science Society of Farmington are announcing the opening of a Free Public Reading Room in connection with their activities where the public may inform themselves regarding this subject.

The Reading Room will be located on the second floor of the News building and will be open daily, except Sunday, from 2 p. m. until 4 p. m. in the afternoon and every evening, except Wednesdays and Sundays, from 7 p. m. until 9 p. m.

At this reading room will be found the Bible, the Christian Science Text-book, Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, and other writings, all of which are free to the public to read, borrow or purchase if they so desire.

Information relative to Christian Science can be obtained at this reading room from those in charge and the public is cordially invited to make use of it. The reading room will be opened November 1st, 1921.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Baptist Church
John J. Schuler, Pastor.
We were very grateful to those who came last Sunday and helped to make the attendance up to 254 at Bible school. Come next Sunday and help to make it 275.

Preaching service at 11 a. m. Subject: "Unfolding of Character." B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. A welcome awaits you.

Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Subject: "A Glad Message." Are you coming?
Weekly prayer and Bible study Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Be on hand with your Bible. Everybody is welcome.

A cordial welcome is extended you to meet with us any time.

Christian Church
J. M. Bailey, Pastor.
Bible school at 9:45 next Lord's day morning. Have you been to Bible school lately? You do not know all about the Bible yet, so come and bring the children, and learn of God and your work.
Preaching service at 11 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m.

Prayer service, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Say, friend, there are no church, Bible schools, Endeavor meetings in Hell, do you want to go there? If not, then get busy here.

Lutheran Church
H. Hallberg, Pastor.
Twenty-third Sunday after Trinity. Festival of the Reformation.
Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preparatory service at 10 a. m. Preaching service and Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m.
A hearty invitation is extended to all without a church home.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Oct. 20—
Perry Prather, Gumbo, age 23
Maggie Bailey, Gumbo, age 18
Oct. 21—
Omie Richardson, Desloge, age 21
Elsie Hutchings, Desloge, age 18
Oct. 22—
E. D. Clouse, Flat River, age 42
Mary Moses, Flat River, age 18
Oct. 24—
Wesley R. Holdman, Bonne Terre, 38
Temple Mahala Hickman, Bonne Terre, age 22
Oct. 26—
Wm. Bryan Keay, Elvins, age 22
Sadie Montgomery, Elvins, age 23

SUGAR GROVE

The Bar-Oak-Grove community holds the silver cup won in home economics contest last Saturday.

You need the Farm Bureau—the Farm Bureau needs you.

Many of the folks of this vicinity were in town Friday and Saturday, seeing the sights.

R. A. Zolman worked a few days for the Davis Music Store during the rush last week.

The bridge crew began this week on the Wolf creek bridge on the St. Louis road.

Those who spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. R. C. Martin were: Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Williams, Mrs. D. E. Hartshorn and son, Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes and daughters Helen, Mary and Lucy.

Those who spent the evening last Sunday at the home of Charley Hornstein were: Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Haynes and family, Mrs. D. E. Hartshorn and Mrs. R. C. Martin.

Be a Booster; not a Knocker, in the Farm Bureau. It will make you feel more like a man.

Mrs. H. Niedert, Mrs. John Haynes and Mrs. R. C. Martin spent last Tuesday with Mrs. E. G. Williams.

E. G. Williams received word Sunday that his daughter, Fannie, has been sent to Kosh hospital. Fannie has been working for some time at the Hiatt Photo Co., of St. Louis.

Mrs. John Pinkston and Miss Blanche Pinkston spent the afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. Hornstein last Tuesday.

Those who spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. R. C. Martin were: John Haynes and family, C. Hornstein and family, Stanley and Ray Haynes.

Everything, each week \$1.50

AUCTION SALE

25-Big Type Poland China-25
SOWS, GILTS and BOARS

Consisting of Sows (one bred), open Gilts, ready to breed for early spring litters and young Boars, ready for service (and no kin to sows and gilts).

STE. GENEVIEVE, MO.

Saturday, Oct. 29, 1921.

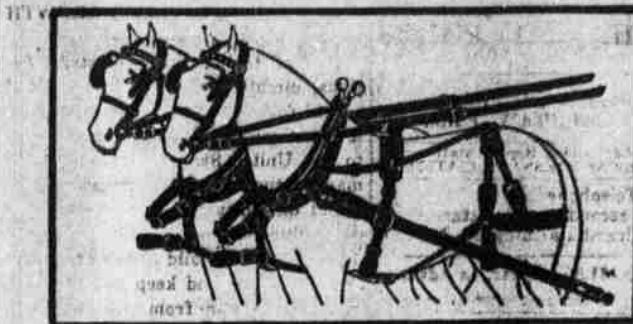
Beginning at 1:30 p. m. Sharp.

This is the one big chance of years to go the best kind of full blooded registered big type Poland-China breeding stock at your own prices, right at your doors where you can see what it is. It is all of the very choicest breeding; most of them are sired by The Liberator No. 112,947, the great son of the great Liberator, and The Whale, a son of Harrison's Big Bob, and other noted breeding. All hog men know what this means.

You Can't Afford Not to be Present.

W. F. SCHADE,
J. W. GREEN,

Jackson, Mo.
Col. Thos. B. Straughn, Auctioneer.



LOCKRIDGE HARNESS SHOP
IN RICKUS BUILDING FARMINGTON, MO.
Complete Line of Buggy, Wagon and Work Harness, Saddles and Bridles, Accessories, and a nice line of Lap Robes.
REPAIRING OF HARNESS A SPECIALTY

BEAUTEOUS FARMINGTON

Fair Notes

By Loma of the Ozarks.
(Student of Nature and of the Pen.)

The agricultural products were displayed at the more convenient business locations, amid the effective intermingling of autumn leaves, which it is needless to say, afforded a picture in nature's own handiwork.

The stock and poultry, on exhibit at near-by quarters, afforded a rare treat to all who crowded within their midst—"I'll say" prize stock and choice poultry; why, they were in truth "a marvel!"

The art-needle work and domestic science demonstrations were wonderful to behold—in fact beyond my comprehension.

Woman, when I delve and dream,
As no one e'er did before;
I find thou are "a wonder,"
And will be ever more.

A number of Farmington's beautiful ladies participated in the parade, which was accompanied by DeSoto's efficient band. Their cars (a picture within themselves) were graced by a touch of autumn leaves. Handsome prizes were awarded the owners of floats, excelling in special embellishment and spectacular beauty.

The able services rendered by Farmington's business men not only added in the success of the fair, but was demonstrative of their appreciation of the cause.

"And this is Mary—formerly Mary James—truly, I never would have known you 'dearie'. I think it has been twenty years, or more, since I saw you last—school chums, you know. County fairs are surely great for 'old acquaintance sake' as well as for their special cause."

"I'll say" Jim, the farmer of today certainly "doeth himself proud". It is truly a wonderful calling, and were I adapted, I'd rather be a "tiller of the soil" than the greatest "man of letters" in the world—it is a beautiful story, that ne'er grows old.

Among the many interesting features I beheld at the fair, I truly longed for the following:

The "mystic pumpkin" (displayed in the Farmington News window) for "Hallowe'en eve", and I wanted "a whole year" of corn, "a free Ireland potato, a 'master head of cabbage', a 'wine-sap' apple, and I wanted a pigeon—a 'sure huf' dove of peace, a gold and brown fowl, or 'bird of paradise'; then, too, I wanted a black rabbit, a red pig, a spotted calf, and, well, I wanted that big green wagon and handsome pair I 'sighted' in the parade. I always wanted a 'red wagon', but a green one will 'hold its own' better. 'A traveler' needs a 'wagon'—'everything' won't go in a suit case. Then, too, the wheels are never 'tired' when one wishes to 'move on'.

Very truly,
"Ozark."
("Poet Jester")

A TOAST TO MISSOURI
By "Ozark",
(Student of Nature and of the Pen.)

Here's to Missouri, the state you know,
That has the name—"you'll have to show";
Here's to her productions, rich and rare,
Her handsome men—her women fair.

To her resources!—her festive days,
Her home life and her friendly ways;
Here's to her zeal! to her given trend,
Her good will, when one needs a friend.

To her love!—which abides in the heart,
And to her music, drama, art;
Here's to her future!—akin to fame,
To Missouri!—"always the same."

GLOWING AUTUMN
By Loma of the Ozarks.
(Student of Nature and of the Pen.)

Autumn! thy passion like a fleeting flame,
Thrills me—thrills me through and through;
Thrills me as naught else could do;
Who that hath known thee, would not say the same?

When I see thee in purple hue—and gold,
Mid the shadows on the leaf,
Thy poise—thy wondrous beauty,
Is in truth, beyond mortal to unfold.

Then, too, when 'neath the sun's departing gleam,
In burnished gold—brown and red
You pause, and with drooping head—
Vanish, as would a vision, or a dream.

WANTS

S. E. Halton, Auctioneer. Cantwell, Mo., Write for dates. 41-4f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Apply to Mrs. Mary Pepin, Farmington.

FOR SALE—Car load of cord-wood; \$2.75 the cord. C. F. Whitener, Knob Lick, Mo. 42-4f

FOR SALE—Several hundred cords of good, sound wood. Prospective buyers should see Thos. H. Stam, or phone 86. 34-4f

STRAYED—From my farm near Clement, Mo., 2 large red sows, weight about 300 pounds each, both heavy with pigs; one has split in right ear. Reward, Notify J. C. Williams, Brickley's, Mo. 39-4f

Civil Service examinations November. Positions \$1400-\$1600. Age, 18 upward. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, instruction, write R. Terry (former Civil Service Examiner) 1123 Continental Bldg, Washington, D. C. 44-4f

NEW AUTO REPAIR SHOP—I have opened an Auto Repair Shop at my home, in rear of Tetley-Klein Lumber Co., where I am prepared to do all kinds of auto repairing, in expert manner. Satisfaction guaranteed and prices always right. Charlie Wines. 44-4f

LOCAL MARKET REPORT
Prepared by McAttee Produce Co. Who are Paying the Following Prices Today:

Eggs, per dozen	45c
Hens, per lb	15c
Old Geese, per lb	12c
Ducks, per lb	16c
Stags, per lb	7c
Old Cocks, per lb	7c
Spring Chickens, per lb	13c
Black Leghorns, per lb	11c
Lard, per lb	10c
Guineas, per lb	20c
Young Turkeys, per lb	26c
Tom Turkeys, per lb	30c
Bacon, per lb	10c
Hams, per lb	20c
Shoulders, per lb	10c
New Potatoes, per bu.	\$1.00 to \$1.35
Muscovy Ducks, per lb	12c
Hides, per lb	4c
Rags, per 100 lbs	35c
Lead, per lb	2c
Good Butter, per lb	20c
Packing Butter, per lb	15c
Inner Tubes, per 100 lbs	20c
Young Guineas, per lb	35c to 45c